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Thursday, August 18, 1965  
Mayor Don Partney called for Granite City to revive its \$10 million Master Sewer and Drainage Plan that was killed by a referendum vote.

## Hot tip

**Edgewood program set**  
The Edgewood Program at Edwardsville will present a talk and a film on "How Can You or a Person You Love Recover from Alcoholism or Drug Addiction?" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.  
The speaker will be Dan Duncan, community coordinator for the Edgewood Program. The Edgewood Program at Edwardsville is located on Illinois 157 by the SIUE campus.  
For information call 1-800-458-6477 or 656-6730.

# City promises new EPA battle

By Mike Myers  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has "pooh-poohed" the city's latest request that the EPA reconsider its lead-contamination cleanup plans.

But, Mayor Von Dee Cruse said, "nobody's going to build a hazardous-waste site in the middle of town without a fight."

The issue is the Taracorp lead-contaminated waste pile at 15th and State streets. The EPA's \$25-million Superfund cleanup plan calls for the pile to be left in place until after having more lead-contaminated soil from surrounding areas added to it, sealed over.

The EPA plan calls for removal of soil from residential yards in a 55-block area of Granite City and Madison.

Public Works Director Brett Hanke of Granite City wrote the EPA a letter after he and a representative of the Doe Run Co. discussed the possibility of recycling the lead in the Taracorp pile.

Doe Run is building a lead-recycling center at

its Buick Smelter located in rural Missouri, near Bixby, about 100 miles southwest of St. Louis. The center is scheduled to open next summer.

A spokesman for the company said last week the facility will process several types of lead scrap, including lead-acid storage batteries.

Lead-acid batteries and their parts are the major elements in the Taracorp pile.

Hanke said the Doe Run company expressed an interest in the possibility of recycling the pile, but had not made any promises.

"Obviously they're not going to commit to doing something that might cost a fortune," Hanke said. "On the other hand, if you offer enough money it's possible to get almost anything done."

In a letter responding to Hanke's, the EPA says it reviewed the possibility of recycling the pile before it made its decision. The EPA says it did not select the recycling alternative due to "the difficulty of recycling the specific mixture of wastes in the Taracorp pile and the high potential for generation of lead-bearing dust during the evacuation, transport and separation activities

associated with recycling the (pile)."

"That's crap," Hanke said. "You're talking about plastic-lining some railroad cars and loading them."

"If dust would be a problem, (the EPA) can get out their water hoses and their little space suits and wet it down just like they're talking about doing when they tear up yards."

The EPA referred all questions to Brad Bradley, the Taracorp project manager. Bradley was unavailable for comment last week.

The EPA's letter says its "Record of Decision" for the Taracorp site has already been signed, but suggests that "if you believe that you have new information regarding a new process to recycle the Taracorp pile, please send this information to the U.S. EPA."

Hanke said: "(The EPA) knows there's no new process; there's no emerging technology. It's done the same way as always. It's just the EPA never even considered it in the first place."

The city's next step, according to Hanke, is to

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## Price Center hotel delayed

By Sam Hananel  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — It will be early October before officials at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center find out when construction will begin on a 140-room hotel to serve the base, according to Lt. Col. Arthur Armour, base commander.

Originally slated for construction last March, the hotel project was postponed in February by the Department of Defense.

"When that doggone Berlin Wall came down, they cut back a lot of things," Armour said. "I think Secretary of Defense (Richard) Cheney put a lot of other projects on hold."

Armour said the matter will be decided shortly after Sept. 30, which marks the end of the federal government's fiscal year.

The hotel is part of a unique package finalized in Congress that would allow private developers to contract with the government to build hotels for military use.

"It appears the secretary of defense is freezing various construction projects at Army bases around the country," said Brian Loft, press secretary at the Washington office of U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello, D-Belleville.

Loft said it is uncertain whether recent defense

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**CARE PACKAGE:** Patricia Maier of Granite City packs up an assortment of snacks, treats and games for her 23-year-old stepson, Kenny, who is on the USS Eisenhower aircraft carrier in the Red Sea, in the tension-filled Middle East. The gifts were donated by the Granite City Steel Machine Shop, where Kenny Maier's father, Russ, was a foreman.

(Staff photo by Pam Decker-Hurd)

## Sheriff's computer slashes mundane hours

By John Milazzo  
Staff writer

EDWARDSVILLE — A computer system on line at the Madison County Sheriff's Department since May 1 has been used in continuing efforts to determine the identity of a slain woman known by authorities only as "Jane Doe."

"Unfortunately, in this situation, we came up empty. But the exercise unquestionably demonstrates some of the capabilities of the system," Sheriff's Department Lt. Conrad "Pete" Baetz said Friday.

Baetz, computer systems manager for the department, said among other capabilities, the county's new Criminal Identification Management Information System (CIMIS) can be linked with other county CIMIS systems in the state to access arrest histories.

That saved "several hundred hours of investigators' time" in narrowing down potential leads in the Jane Doe case, Baetz said.

Authorities have approached the case from a variety of angles, including speculation that the woman may have been a prostitute. And, if so,

they reasoned, there was some likelihood that she may have been arrested locally at some time in the past.

By linking the new county system with one that has been on line in St. Clair County for the last five years, detectives here were able to rapidly search St. Clair County records for any person meeting the physical characteristics of the victim.

When the Jane Doe information was fed into the system, eight names were returned as possibilities. However, a when detectives ran checks on the eight, all were eliminated.

But, despite the failure of the system to produce the victim, authorities point out that valuable man hours were saved in eliminating a broad array of possible leads.

The \$70,000 system was partially funded by a \$35,000 grant provided by the Chicago-based Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (ICJIA).

Sheriff Bob Churchill, with support of the Madison County Board, applied for the grant last October.

Terms of the grant required a dollar-for-dollar

match by the county. But salaries of personnel operating the system will be allowed to account for much of the local match, Churchill said, leaving the county responsible for only \$17,000 in actual cash.

"I was looking for a way to bring the department into the 1990s, technologically," Churchill said. "But my budget wouldn't stretch that far. When the ICJIA contacted me and offered the opportunity to apply for the grant, I jumped at the chance."

In Chicago, ICJIA Director of Correctional Systems Andy Krok said the CIMIS system was first devised in 1974 to assist authorities at the Cook County Jail who were drowning in a sea of paperwork.

The system has since been in a process of refinement with the addition of new functions and is now on line in 17 of the more heavily populated of the state's 102 counties.

Lt. James Newsome, Madison County Jail superintendent, has high marks for the system.

"I used to assign a supervisor to prepare a

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## Russian summer suits local students

By Sam Hananel  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Four area high school students had the experience of a lifetime this summer when they and dozens of other midwestern students were selected to travel to the Soviet Union.

During their three-week trip last month the students — Nina Gott and Deanna Frey of Madison and Mason Connelly and Bill Bernheisel-Starr of Granite City — helped to promote friendship and peace between the United States and the Soviet Union.

The students were solicited by an organization based in Spokane, Wash., called People to People Friendship Caravan. The group selected 160 student ambassadors from five midwestern states to travel to foreign countries based on the recommendations of high school counselors.

Frey viewed the trip as a great potential learning experience. "I'm going into the military and I want to grow up a little bit and travel and I figured why not the USSR," she said.

Bernheisel-Starr said, "I wanted to see what a different country would be like and see if the stories I had heard about Russia were true."

The students went through a three-month application and training process at Alhott High School in Belleville before departing in July. The program coordinators instructed them on conditions in the Soviet Union and gave them tips on how to conduct themselves.

After spending the first few days in Moscow, the tour carried the students to five Ukrainian cities — Zaporozhye, Donetsk, Mariupol, Rostov on Don, and Lugansk — cities not often visited by Americans.

Gott said the appearance of Americans in some cities would provoke dramatic reactions from Sovi-



Mason Connelly

Nina Gott

Bernheisel-Starr

Deanna Frey

et citizens. "They would literally stop and stare at us as we walked down the street," Gott said. "I wish they could see an American, a mile away by the clothes we wear, by our hair."

When an American student would spend money at a store, Gott said, swarms of people would crowd around in amazement. "They told us the average Russian makes the equivalent of \$40 a month," she said.

Gott said the student group made history while traveling through Zaporozhye. "That was the first time that city had any tourists there because they had a lot of nuclear power plants and military bases," she said.

The primary purpose of the trip was for American and Soviet students to get to know each other, learn about their respective countries, and eradicate some of the myths about each other.

The students brought souvenirs — items like perfume samples, pens, key chains, balloons, pictures and flags — to give to children they met in youth camps in the Ukrainian cities. "The children

were fascinated by the balloons," Gott said, "but none of them could figure out how to blow them up."

Gott compared the youth camps to summer camps in the United States.

In each city, Frey said, several students from the group would visit the mayor and present him with a plaque. She said the government officials that greeted the emissaries were always enthusiastic to meet the young Americans.

The students spent much of the trip getting accustomed to Soviet lifestyles. One lesson the students learned was to appreciate the comforts of home.

Frey said most of the meals they ate consisted of cow tongue, cabbage soup, bread and "a strange kind of juice." And many of the students got sick from the food or the water, although Connelly said the food "wasn't that bad."

Connelly thought the cow tongue tasted like chicken. But he added, "I'm sure most of the kids

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# Man arrested after shots allegedly fired

Larry L. Dunn, 29, of the 2200 block of Bryan Avenue was charged with aggravated battery and aggravated assault at 2 a.m. Aug. 12. Police, responding to a report of shots being fired at Dunn's home, had found a group of about 10 people in his yard.

Tim E. Barton of the same block told police he had been having problems with Dunn and was driving by when Dunn cursed at him. Barton turned around and drove up in Dunn's yard.

Dunn then allegedly pointed a pistol at Barton and a companion, Jennifer Sampson, and hit Barton with the pistol. Barton ran away; Dunn fired three shots, according to witnesses, but missed him.

Police found a spent 9 millimeter round in the yard.

**Camera taken from car**  
Julie A. Ahlvers of Granite City told police somebody took a \$200 camera from her auto Aug. 11 while it was parked in the 3300 block of Colgate Place.

**Allegedly punches man**  
Michael E. Gibson, 21, of the 3800 block of Kirkpatrick Homes was booked for battery Aug. 11 for allegedly punching Craig York of Granite City in the face in front of a store in the 3600 block of Nameoki Road. Gibson was held pending \$102 bail.

**\$12,000 taken on Clark**  
Wilma R. Cooper of the 2000 block of Clark Avenue reported that \$12,000 in cash was stolen from a box in a closet at her home by an unknown person in the last two months. She discovered the theft Aug. 14.

**Car looted of tapes**  
Angela A. Culum of the 2000 block of Hildebrand Avenue, Cliveleaf Addition, reported that somebody entered her car Aug. 15 while it was parked in an alley behind the 2200 block of Missouri Avenue and took 10 audio cassette tapes and \$5 in coins.

**\$2,050 equipment taken**  
A man went into Fornaszewski Music, 3007 N. Main St., Aug. 14 and presented what is believed to have been false identification and a charge card to rent two speakers and a sound mixer with a combined value of \$2,050. The man gave a non-existent phone number in Wood River.

## Granite City

### \$1,200 computer stolen

A \$1,200 diagnostic computer was stolen from Novotny Chevrolet on Illinois 3 at West Pontoon Road between Aug. 10 and 13.

### Burglar gets tapes, bike

In a burglary at the home of Carol Richter in the 2400 block of Bromley Avenue, reported Aug. 10, the intruder made off with about 10 video cassette recorder tapes, worth a total of \$100, 20 compact disks valued at \$20, a roll of chain-link fencing and a 20-inch Huffy bicycle. Entry was gained through a basement window.

The burglary occurred while the house was unoccupied between May 22 and Aug. 1, Richter said. The boy's bicycle, taken from inside the house, was located Aug. 10 in a rear yard on East 24th Street, the victim reported to police.

### Pickup truck hits tree

Timothy H. Ponce, 30, of Collinsville suffered an injury at 3 p.m. Aug. 10 when the truck he was driving struck a tree on the property of Doris Bryan in the 2900 block of Wilson Avenue. Ponce told police he lost control of the pickup truck and hit the tree after leaving the parking lot at Eddie's Tavern. He was charged with reckless driving.

Ponce declined immediate medical attention.

### Insurance warrant served

Robert William Rains, 19, of the 2600 block of Grand Avenue was arrested in the 2700 block of State Street on Aug. 3 on a Jersey County warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of operating an uninsured motor vehicle. Rains posted \$102 bail and was released pending a hearing.

### Items stolen from boat

Somebody took a number of items from a boat belonging to Linda R. Houston of the 2300 block of Edison Avenue sometime before Aug. 7. Stolen were a \$150 depth finder, a \$250 fish finder, a \$485 trolling motor and two tackle boxes with tackle, valued at \$600.

### Three hurt in accident

Three elderly people were injured in a two-car crash at about 9:30 a.m. Aug. 9.

Mary A. Hawk, 89, of Edwardsville told police she was preoccupied and didn't notice a stop sign on Pontoon Road at Wabash Avenue, causing her auto to collide with a car driven by Bernard B. McCabe, 77, of the 2100 block of Lynch Avenue. Both drivers, as well as McCabe's wife, Marie, 75, were treated and released at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

### Girl arrested for battery

A girl, 15, who resides in the 2100 block of Lee Avenue was booked for battery Aug. 7 for allegedly punching Dawn M. Creek, 18, also of the 2100 block of Lee.

The incident happened Aug. 7 outside the McDonald's Restaurant, 2045 Madison Ave. The girl told police Creek spit on her. Creek was treated for a broken nose at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The girl was released to her parents on a notice to appear in court.

### Juvenile girl arrested

A girl, 15, was booked for battery Aug. 7 for allegedly punching another girl, also 15. The incident happened in the 1900 block of Kirkpatrick Homes. Both the assailant and victim reside at Kirkpatrick Homes. The assailant was released to relatives on a notice to appear in court.

### Power saw, \$550 taken

Norman Bays of the 2400 block of Benton Street told police somebody entered his residence between July 26 and Aug. 6; taken were \$550 in cash, a \$200 power saw and a \$225 commercial analyzer.

### Stereo, recorder taken

Deborah F. Roseman of the 2000 block of Ash Avenue reported that somebody forced open a sliding window to her residence between July 19 and Aug. 7 and took a \$400 stereo and a \$200 video cassette recorder.

### Garage looted of tools

John M. Lerch Sr. of the 2300 block of E. 25th Street told police somebody stole \$220 in power tools from his garage prior to Aug. 7.

### \$2,000 machine stolen

A Pitney-Bowes Fax machine valued at \$2,000 is missing from Jenkinson-Wright Co. on 22nd Street, it was discovered Aug. 10.

### Clothes taken from car

William Davis of the 2300 block of Delmar Avenue reported that somebody broke a window to enter his car while he was inside St. Elizabeth Medical Center and took a tote bag containing assorted clothing.

### Arrested on 3 warrants

Joseph B. Distler, 31, of Granite City was arrested July 25 on three Granite City warrants charging him with one count of battery and two counts of assault. He was released on \$502 bail.

### By John Milazzo

#### Staff writer

**EDWARDSVILLE** — A full-time salaried coordinator for Madison County's planned 911 emergency telephone system may be needed once the system is ready to go, the County Board was told Wednesday.

The system is scheduled to go on line in November 1991.

In a status report to the



(Staff photo by Andy Siering)  
**PROBATIONARY PATROLMAN** Jeffrey S. Hoese, 24, of Granite City is sworn in Aug. 15 by Deputy City Clerk Charlotte Suhre.

## Arson suspected in fire

**GRANITE CITY** — Arson is suspected in a fire Tuesday night that damaged the interior of the Parkside Confectionery, 2701 Michigan Ave.

Firefighters found a strong odor of gasoline and an empty plastic jug inside the building near where the fire broke out. The building is owned by Dr. Mark Evenson.

The fire apparently was discovered 10 minutes after it broke out at about 11:49 p.m., authorities said.

Evenson told police nearby residents had opposed his plans to convert the structure into a beauty shop, and he said one man had made a veiled threat.

Evenson said the building was not insured.

## 911 will need coordinator

board, Bill Grogan, a consultant hired by the county, said such a coordinator would have responsibility for a variety of maintenance tasks associated with keeping the system's data banks updated and in proper operating order.

Grogan said Madison County Sheriff Bob Church has also indicated that he may need more dispatchers if the County Jail is to serve as a main control point for the system.

Grogan also said that the state law allowing counties to add a 65-cent monthly surcharge on phone bills has been revised to allow proceeds to pay salaries associated with 911 system operations.

The original legislation allowed the surcharge only for equipment and planning to bring the 911 systems into existence.

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DISCARDED TREE LIMBS and other yard waste near an alley (far left) in Granite City.  
In the foreground is 17th Street.

## Granite Citians need to have grass, tree limbs hauled away

By Mike Myers  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Both the city's sanitation department and its contracted waste haulers want to be nice guys.

But no matter how nice they are, neither can haul away grass clippings, leaves and tree limbs. As a result, according to City Inspector Vince Scrum, yard waste is beginning to pile up around the city.

A state law banning placement of yard waste in landfills went into effect July 1 in Illinois.

Trash haulers now put yard waste in commercial compost facilities, but the city did not include that service in its trash hauling contract.

"People have to arrange to have it hauled away on their own," Scrum said.

He said the city doesn't recommend any one hauling service over any other.

"But as far as I know, all of them are insisting on curb-side pickup," he said. "That includes areas where the trash is picked up in the alley."

Residents who allow yard waste to pile up in yards or alleys will be warned, and if the problem is not resolved, will be fined or ticketed in an amount that could range from \$15 to \$500, Scrum said.

Granite Citians who want to start recycling can drop off glass, plastic and aluminum items at recycling bins located at the Sanitation Department on Adams Street, the main fire station on Madison Avenue and the West Granite fire station on Rock Road.

## Briefly

### Granite has 8 homeless dogs.

The Animal Control Department has 8 animals at the city pound on Aug. 17. Persons wishing to reclaim or adopt one of the animals should call Animal Control at 452-6233. The animals are:

- A small tan-and-white male mixed beagle found Aug. 15.
- A medium-sized black-and-brown female mixed shepherd found Aug. 15.
- A large gray-and-black male husky found Aug. 13 in the Briarcliff area.
- A large black male sheepdog found Aug. 14 at 20th Street and Madison Avenue.
- A medium-sized black female mixed-Labrador found Aug. 14 in the 4100 block of Rode Avenue.
- A medium-sized white male mixed-terrier found Aug. 15 in the 2400 block of Grand Avenue.
- A medium-sized tricolor female mixed-shepherd found Aug. 15 in the 2400 block of Lincoln Avenue.
- A medium-sized gray-and-black mixed-husky found Aug. 15 in the 2700 block of Madison Avenue.

By statute, animals not claimed or adopted may be destroyed five working days following their capture by Animal Control.

## Garland principal

COLLINSVILLE — Debra Garland of Granite City has been named principal of Summit School and Lincoln School in the Collinsville Unit 10 District.

Her appointment was approved by the school board at a special meeting Aug. 15.

Garland succeeds Chuck Jackson. Seven candidates were considered for the job; Superintendent John Renfro said.

Garland has worked in the office of the Madison County regional superintendent of schools as an administrative assistant for the past seven years and was previously an elementary teacher.

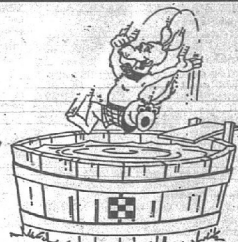
Her husband, Michael, is a Granite City teacher/coach.

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## Births

### Jared Lee Sawyer

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Sawyer of Granite City are announcing the birth of their son, born at 1:55 a.m. Aug. 12, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant, Jared Lee, weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

The mother is the former Elizabeth Woolard.

Grandparents are Idell Woolard and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry (Joyce) Sawyer, all of Granite City.

### Brittany Chastain

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Chastain of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born at 8:30 p.m. Aug. 6, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Brittany Lynn and she weighed 9 pounds, 11 ounces.

The mother is the former Teresa Sands.

Maternal grandparents are William and Barbara Sands of Centralia.

Paternal grandparents are Harold and Lois Chastain of Granite City.

### Ashley Line

Monica R. Line of Granite City is announcing the birth of her daughter, born at 2:32 a.m. Aug. 13, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Ashley Nicole Suzanne, and weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Stephen and Pamela Line of Granite City.

### M. Antonovich

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Antonovich Jr. of Madison are announcing the birth of their son, born at 10:50 a.m. Aug. 13, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Michael Aaron, and weighed 9 pounds, 1 ounce.

The mother is the former Jennifer Smith.

Maternal grandparents are Charles and Donna Smith of Madison, and paternal grandparents are Mike and Carolyn Antonovich Sr. of Granite City.

### Ashley Lian Gordon

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gordon III of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born Aug. 13, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant, Ashley-Lian, weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

The mother is the former Janet Elmore, and maternal grandparents are Donald and Evelyn Elmore of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Tom and Elsie Gordon of Madison.

The couple has another child, Thomas Stanley Gordon IV, 2.

### Tiffany R. Frisbie

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Frisbie of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born at 7:33 a.m. Aug. 9, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Tiffany Ruth, and she weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

The mother is the former Teresa M. Gaudreault.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Gaudreault of Granite City and Mr. and Mrs. James Albert Frisbie of Cushing, Okla.

The couple has another daughter, Trisha Jean, 8.

### Colin M. Testerman

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Testerman of Granite City are announcing the birth of their son, born at 9:10 p.m. Aug. 6, 1990, at Alton Memorial Hospital.

The infant was named Colin Marshall and weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

The mother is the former Terri Augustin, and maternal grandparents are Carole and Burnell Augustin of Grant Fork, Ill.

Paternal grandparents are Helen and Marshall Testerman of Granite City.

The maternal great-grandmother is Pauline Mettler of Grant Fork. Paternal great-grandparents are Lucy Testerman of Granite City and Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Smotherman of Fredricktown, Mo.

Kelsey M. Trott

Mr. and Mrs. Lorence Trott of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born at 8:55 a.m. Aug. 8, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Kelsey Maeagan, and she weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

The mother is the former Debra Kay Bottom, and maternal grandparents are Fenton H. Bottom of Kansas.

Paternal grandparents are Lorence W. Trott Sr. of Springfield, Ill., and Jane Steffen of Champaign, Ill.

The couple has a son, Travis, 9.

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TOPS, Take off Pounds Sensibly, will hold a local meeting next Monday.

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## Plenty of food at Kirchenfest

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The two days of entertainment and food begins at 8 a.m. Saturday with the Kirchenfest "Strassenlauf" (street run).

This is followed by the "Scoop to Nuts" auction at 10 a.m. Activities include a German Biergarten and a "Meet Your Friends" tent with such activities as free dancing, bingo, prizes and continuous music. The Don Scherrer Band, the

Dixie Jazz Kings, Mike Evola and Country Fever. The Company, Sneakers and Boulderdash are just a few of the many fine bands that will be playing.

On Sunday, a "family style" chicken dinner will be served starting at 11 a.m.

On Sunday evening, a vacation for two in Hawaii, a 1991 Ford Escort or \$10,000 in cash, as well as a hog and a steer will be given away.

Tickets for these items will be available on the church grounds.

## Irradiation is a safe way to kill salmonella

The following column is by Catherine E. Mazum, Extension adviser, home economics. The Food and Drug Administration has recently approved the use of irradiation as a safe and effective process to kill salmonella and other disease-causing bacteria in poultry, but American consumers are skeptical. Irradiation will not likely become common-place in poultry processing plants until public opinion turns favorable.

Irradiation is the first approved process to "pasteurize" solid foods. Unlike milk pas-

teurization, however, irradiation is a cold process. Gamma and electron radiation changes the structure of the poultry products slightly to kill harmful bacteria.

Despite what many consumers may believe about the process, it does not cause the food to become radioactive, and as a result, does not expose consumers to radiation according to Dawn Henges, University of Illinois Extension food safety specialist. Food irradiation can be extremely useful for public health protection, product quality and shelf life.

FDA has just approved irradiation for processing poultry, but the technology has been used for years to control insects in fruits, vegetables, grain and spices. Irradiation also inhibits the growth and ripening of fruits and sprout development in potatoes.

The technology has been approved for the control of trichinosis in pork since 1985, but the process is still not used in the U.S. Meat processors have failed to utilize irradiation due to a lack of consumer demand for irradiated meat products and the cost of irradiation equipment, Henges said.

More than 30 countries are using food irradiation technology to ensure food safety, and 12 have approved the use of irradiation for poultry. Before this

process will be used for poultry in the U.S., the U.S. Department of Agriculture will develop equipment standards and regulations for poultry processing plants.

USDA requires that all irradiated products must have the internationally-approved symbol (flower enclosed in a circle) on the label to inform consumers that the process was used.

Irradiated poultry would be safer than unprocessed meats, but irradiation does not eliminate the need for refrigeration. The process kills most, but not all, of the bacteria present in the meat. Retailers and consumers must continue to keep poultry refrigerated and use safe handling procedures to prevent the surviving organisms from multiplying.

## Some corn damage in county

The following is by Ronald E. Carrawell, Extension adviser in agriculture.

Fall armyworm feeding damage is evident in the whorl of the corn plant in some fields in Madison County.

Fall armyworm larva may feed on the leaves and in the whorl of the corn plant. If the worms burrow deep into the whorl to the heart of the plants, serious damage and stunting will occur. If the growing point is not killed, the plant will recover from the damage rapidly. The full-grown fall armyworm larva will reach about one and one-half inches in length and range in color from tan to black. The fall armyworm resembles the true armyworm.

The fall armyworm has a prominent white inverted Y on the front of its head.

Treatment may be warranted if 35 percent of the plants are damaged and larvae are not fully grown. Dytol, Lannate or Lorsban are suggested for control. Ground sprays directed over the row is more effective than broadcast sprays. U. of I. Field Day.

The University of Illinois Agronomy Field Day will be held Sept. 13, from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. The program will be held on the Agronomy South Farm.

Wagon and walking tours will leave from the Agronomy South Farm throughout the morning to take visitors around the south farm. New this year is a tillage demonstration to show the impact that tillage equipment can have on soil mixing, residue management and erosion potential. In addition, there will be a tour to the nearby Illinois Natural History Survey South Annex. Faculty from the U. of I. College of Agriculture will be on hand to discuss research related to field crop production.

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Each year, ASSE International Student Exchange programs provide qualified European students with the opportunity to spend an Academic year in America attending a local high school and learning about life in America. If your family would like to help make Pablo or Gunnar's year in the Granite City area possible, please call local Area Representative Barb or Wayne Rutter at 618/876-0138 or ASSE's toll free number at 1-800-333-3802.

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# Servicemen from across area report for duty

## Michael Asis

Marine Pfc. Michael Asis, son of Cely A. Page and stepson of James R. Page of Granite City, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the 13-week training cycle, Asis was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

Asis also participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized through the training cycle.

A 1989 graduate of Granite City Senior High School, Asis joined the Marine Corps in January 1990.

## Vincent Foley

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Vincent F. Foley, son of Louise N. and Edward W. Foley Jr. of Venice, recently reported for duty aboard the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz, homeported in Bremerton, Wash.

A 1987 graduate of Piasa High School, Brighton, Foley joined the Navy in November 1987.

## Richard Mixon

Staff Sgt. Richard D. Mixon has graduated from the Air Force non-commissioned officer leadership

## Military

school, where he studied techniques of leadership, management and supervision.

Mixon is an airlift electrical and environmental systems technician with the 317th Field Maintenance Squadron at Pope Air Force Base, N.C.

He is the son of Virginia A. and Marion Mixon of Florence, S.C. His wife, Judy, is the daughter of Donald Woodward of Granite City, and Loretta Morley of Gibson City, Ill.

The sergeant is a 1976 graduate of Marantha Christian High School, Florence.

## Michael Evanoff

Pvt. Michael A. Evanoff has completed a track-vehicle repairer course at Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland.

Students were taught to troubleshoot, repair, and maintain mechanical, electrical, air, and hydraulic systems on tracked vehicles.

Evanoff is the son of Olga and Anthony E. Evanoff of Granite City.

He is a 1988 graduate of Granite City High School.

## Vauna Schildman

Airman Vauna M. Schildman

has graduated from the U.S. Air Force inventory management course at Lowry Air Force Base in Colorado.

During the course, Schildman was taught property accounting, customer support, stock control and equipment management for a base supply system.

Students also were taught to inventory supplies using electronic data processing machines, and the graduates earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Schildman is the daughter of Robert L. and Vauna G. Schild-

man of Granite City.

The airman is a 1988 graduate of Granite City Senior High School.

## David Jordan

Pvt. David E. Jordan has graduated from the wheeled vehicle repairer course at the U.S. Army Ordnance Center and School, Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland.

The course provides instruction for soldiers to maintain wheeled vehicles with emphasis on maintenance publications and tools, diagnostic equipment and shop safety. During the 10-week course, Jordan also received technical train-

ing in troubleshooting, replacement and adjustment of components and assemblies of wheeled vehicles.

Jordan is the son of Shirley G. Jordan of Madison.

The soldier is a 1989 graduate of Madison Senior High School.

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## Obituaries

### Shearburn

Leonard Earl "Bud" Shearburn, 75, of Alton died at 4 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, 1990, in Christian Hospital Northeast, St. Louis, following a short illness. He was born Nov. 23, 1914, in Macoupin County, Ill., he owned and operated Shearburn's Ice Cream Co. since 1955.

He was a member of Franklin Masonic Lodge 25, the Scottish Rite Bodies of Southern Illinois, the Alton York Rite, the Kiwanis, Eagles and Moose, the Ainaid Shrine, of which he was potentate in 1959, and Eastern Star Walton Chapter 1018, of which he said his wife were worthy patron and worthy matron in 1963.

A 33rd Degree Mason, Shearburn was a past director of Royal Order of Jefferies Court 86, president of the Alton Chamber of Commerce in 1956, a director of the Auto Club of Missouri from 1949 until May 1960, and a member of the Main Street United Methodist Church in Alton.

Survivors include his wife, Vivian L. (Martin) Shearburn, whom he married June 17, 1939; one son, the Rev. Dr. Wally Martin Shearburn of St. Louis; and one sister, Ona Barton of Wood River.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. today (Sunday) at Elias-Smith Funeral Home, 2521 Edwards St., Alton. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Sunday at Main Street United Methodist Church, Alton, with the Rev. Daniel G. Brown officiating. Burial will be at East Cemetery in Waverly, Ill.

The family suggests memorials to the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children or to the church.

### Ludden

Dwight J. Ludden, 85, of Santiago, Chile, formerly of Granite City, died in Santiago on July 22, 1990, according to word just received here.

Mr. Ludden died of a lung infection. He had moved to Chile to operate an astronomical observatory after, earlier in his career, designing and overseeing an observatory in California.

Originally a teacher, he worked at Granite City High School in the 1930s and 1940s, rising to the administrative post of director of vocational education.

He had attended high school classes at a vocational center established here by the former Commonwealth Steel Co.

Mr. Ludden maintained his interest in Granite City and for a period of years sponsored an annual scholarship award through the Granite City Scholarship Foundation.

Survivors include his wife, Georgina Ludden of Santiago. Funeral services and burial took place in Chile.

### Hahne

Joseph L. Hahne, 83, of Granite City died at 4:25 a.m. Friday, Aug. 17, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he had been a patient for nine days.

Born Sept. 6, 1906, in Oakdale, Ill., he had worked for 30 years at the National Stockyards, National City, Ill. He was a member of the Senior Citizens of Granite City.

Survivors include a granddaughter, Cherie Hahne of Granite City.

Preceding him in death was a son, Colin D. Hahne, who died May 12, 1987.

Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until the funeral time at noon on Monday, Aug. 20, at Kasky Colonial Mortuary, 9900 St. Clair Ave., Fairview Heights, with the Rev. Randy Davis officiating. Burial will be at Oakdale Cemetery in Oakdale.

### Brewer

Eva Mae (Davis) Brewer, 92, of East Troy, Wis., formerly of Granite City, died at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, 1990, at Lakeside Nursing Home in Elkhorn, Wis.

Mrs. Brewer was born July 29, 1898, in Woodstock, Ill., and had been a homemaker. She had belonged to Second Baptist Church in Granite City.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Melvin (Etta) Frost of East Troy; one son, Lavern Brewer of Joplin, Mo.; one brother, George Davis of Woodstock; two sisters, Ina Overton of Corland, Ill., and Elsie Dermont of Crystal Lake, Ill.; eight grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. today (Sunday) at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with funeral services to follow at 8:30 p.m. today, with the Rev. Mark Haumschull officiating. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery in Granite City.

### Campbell

Ralph W. Campbell, 73, of Sorento, Ill., formerly of Wood River, died at 5:58 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 14, 1990, at Utdal Hospital in Greenville.

He was born Aug. 11, 1917, in Venice and was a retired Granite City Steel millwright.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma (Arnold) Campbell, his son, Richard Campbell of Sorento; two daughters, Sally Combs of Bunker Hill and Kathy Kuhl of Pocahontas; and eight grandchildren.

Preceding him in death was a son, Danny Campbell.

Funeral services were held Friday at Lesnicko Funeral Home in New Douglas, with the Rev. Delbert Hallman officiating. Burial was at Sunnyside Cemetery in Sorento.

The family suggests memorials to the donor's choice.

### Van Meter

Charles "Oley" Van Meter, 81, of Cahokia died Monday, Aug. 13, 1990, at River Bluffs Nursing Home in Cahokia.

He was born Sept. 14, 1908, in East St. Louis and was a retired painter for Local 215.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle (Tindall) Van Meter; one son, Kenneth Van Meter of Chester; two daughters, Linda Boud of Cahokia and Pam Hushell of Belleville; two brothers, Claude Van Meter of Granite City and Elva Van Meter of Chester; two sisters, Lela Presswood and Vera Winterberg, both of Granite City; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Bonnie Van Meter.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Braun Colonial Mortuary, 1000 St. Charles St., with burial at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

The family suggests memorials to the House of Southern Illinois, Belleville.

### Young

Priscilla "Pinky" (Bargo) Young, 78, Pontoon Beach, formerly of Granite City, was pronounced dead at her home at 10:22 a.m. Friday, Aug. 17, 1990, by Deputy Coroner Roger Smith.

Born May 17, 1912, she was preceded in death by her husband, Earl W. Young, on Dec. 27, 1989.

She was of the Protestant faith and was a member of the Long Lake Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary.

She is survived by a daughter, Darlene Campbell of Minneapolis, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Long Lake Fire Department. Funeral arrangements are pending at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, 797-1009.

### Hubbard

Joseph "Alfred" Hubbard, 61, a former area resident, died at 5:05 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, 1990. He had resided for the last six months at River Bluffs Nursing Home in Cahokia.

A retired truck driver, he had never married. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a member of the Assembly of God Church.

He is survived by a brother, Jacob Hubbard of Glen Carbon, and a sister, Mrs. Anna Lee Warner of Brighton.

No services are being planned, and the remains are to be cremated. In charge of arrangements is Werner Chapel for Funerals 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, 797-1009.

### •Battle

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send the EPA official notification of the city's intention to file a lawsuit against the EPA.

"We have an ordinance that makes it illegal to have a dump within the city limits," Hanke said.

Hanke, however, doesn't have much hope for getting a solution through the legal system.

"This is, after all, a common sense type of thing," he said.

So, Hanke said, the city will also continue to pursue help through political channels.

He said the city is anxious to get the results from blood-lead tests of residents. The tests are scheduled to be done this fall.

"Based on that, we can pattern a level of cleanup that will protect our residents," Hanke said.

Although the EPA agreed to pay for the blood tests, it remains adamant that the city has no bearing on the scope of its cleanup.

In the letter responding to Hanke's, the EPA says, "The city's lead concentrations are greater than 500 parts per million shall be removed regard-

less." Hanke, who attended a conference of top environmental health experts last month, contends the setting of an arbitrary cleanup level, such as 500 ppm, lacks a scientific basis.

Both Hanke and Cruse are unhappy with the way the EPA has dealt with the Taracorp problem.

"They don't hesitate to tell you to forget it," Cruse said.

But how in the world can they think creating a hazardous waste dump in the middle of the city is a solution? That's creating something we will have to worry about the rest of our lives.

"It just seems like a terrible, terrible way of approaching the problem. I hope these guys don't have anything to do with our national defense."

Hanke said he believes the Taracorp project is directly tied to politics and the real hope the city has is to get whatever federal officials have some control over the EPA to listen to the city's case.

"Congress is flat (against the EPA)," Hanke said. "They have this program and for the past 10

years they haven't cleaned up much of anything. So, if they want to keep their funding, Congress is saying, 'It's time to get off your can and do something.'"

The Taracorp pile is a perfect public relations site for the EPA, Hanke said, because the former owner, National Lead Co., has admitted responsibility for the problem and therefore will pay for the cleanup. At the same time, Hanke said, the pile's location in a major metropolitan area gives it high visibility.

"You start digging up all the yards in a 55-block area and it's going to make the front page of every newspaper and be on the six o'clock news across the nation," Hanke said. "It would be a great human-interest story."

And the EPA can put up its banners and tell everybody, "Look at what a great job we are doing protecting all these citizens" while they tear up half the city.

"Well, we're not going down without a fight."

### •Russia

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lost 10 pounds."

What also shocked the students was the lack of goods and services in the Soviet Union.

Connolly said the clothes people wore looked like American fashions from the 1950s.

He described the Ukrainian cities as dirty and said the houses were not nearly as nice as average American homes.

The students noticed that automobiles are not as common in the Soviet Union because it can take a lifetime salary to purchase one. Gas lines were very long as well, according to Connolly.

"Some people were sleeping in the cars all night to get gas the next day," he said.

"They are really reckless drivers too."

"Everywhere you went there were two hour lines," Bernheisel-Starr said. "Stuff we take for

granted they don't even have over there."

Gott agreed. "You really don't know realize how good you have it until you go to the Soviet Union," she said.

"One of the ladies came up to us and wanted to buy our clothes."

But Gott said some of the students had bad experiences when Soviet youths tried to pressured them into drinking alcohol.

The program did not allow students to drink alcohol on the trip and she said it became difficult to refuse the offerings because the Soviets were only expressing hospitality and would take offense at the student's refusals.

"I think one of Russia's major concerns is drinking because they don't have anything else to do," she said.

Another problem surfaced in the plans for some students to

spend a few days with host families. Frey said the language barrier was probably the single biggest obstacle. But other students said families sifted through their luggage and forced food and alcohol on students when they refused.

"Many kids like me wouldn't go to stay with the families after that," Gott said.

Gott said the program was successful in its intent to foster friendships between American and Soviet children. "If we can get younger kids involved and make them aware of the problems and what's going on, I think that would help a lot," she said.

The students all said they made friends with other Soviets and plan to correspond with them.

### •Hotel

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cutbacks in the post-Cold War era are permanent or temporary. But he said any decision will depend on the agreement hammered out in the current round of budget talks between Congressional leaders and President George Bush.

Armour said he is optimistic that funding for the new hotel will not be cut. There have been no changes in the scope of the project since it was delayed, he said.

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## Medicare, Social Security cuts opposed

By Leyla Sharabi

States News Service

WASHINGTON — In anticipation of federal budget cuts, a senior citizen group this month released a report attacking congressional proposals to slash Medicare and Social Security benefits.

The report denounced the proposals as "a new tax on the poorest and sickest."

The proposals, under consideration in Congress, could push 2 percent of Illinois' elderly population near or under the poverty line, according to a study released by Families United for Senior Action (USA), a Washington, D.C., lobbyist group.

"These increases are the most regressive ways to reduce the deficit — by increasing payments to the elderly, especially those with modest means," said U.S. Rep. Pete Stark, D-Calif., who is backing the findings of Families USA.

According to Families USA, congressional leaders are discussing three proposals in the current budget talks that would cut elderly care.

They include: increasing the premiums elderly persons pay to physicians by 5 percent while raising the lowest medical bill Medicare covers by \$75; tempo-

rarily freezing Social Security cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) increases; and raising the Social Security income tax by 35 percent.

If COLAs were frozen, by 1995 the incomes of 14,846 of Illinois' 1.4 million elderly would be pushed below the poverty line and the incomes of 19,566 senior citizens would fall close to the poverty line, the report showed.

Families USA contends the proposal to cut Medicare and lower insurance benefits is more "politically palatable" than freezing COLAs but would be more harmful to senior citizens.

Families USA advocates

"more progressive income tax increases that wealthy Americans would pay, including wealthy senior citizens," according to Jeff Kirsch, the organization's field director.

"If Congress decides they have to go after Social Security, the least harmful way to do it is a tax on Social Security benefits," Kirsch said.

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Among the University Honors winners are: Christopher Ashmore and Melissa Kaye Kozysak, both of Granite City.

University Honors and inclusion on the Bronze Tablet is the 15 of 1's highest honor for graduating students, said Robert Underwood, assistant director of admissions and records.

Winners must have a total grade-point average of at least 3.5, although in recent years an average as high as 4.0 was needed to make the list in some colleges, he said.

The first Bronze Tablet, with only 14 names, appeared in 1925, Underwood said.

## Bradley Alumni to host family picnic

The St. Louis Bradley Alumni Chapter invites Bradley University alumni, parents and friends to a family picnic on Sunday, Sept. 23.

The picnic will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. at Shaw Park in Clayton, Mo. Admission is \$6 for adult non-members, \$4 for adult members, and \$2.50 for children, 12 and under.

University celebrities will officiate sports activities and give away Bradley door prizes, including two pairs of tickets to the Missouri Valley Conference tournament at the Kiel Auditorium on March 2, 3, and 4, 1991.

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## Granite student on Indiana dean's list

Indiana University in Bloomington, Ind., recently announced that John Joseph Sosnowski II of Granite City, achieved the dean's list for academic excellence during the second semester, 1989-90.

Dean's list students must earn at least a 3.5 grade-point average from a possible 4.0 in a minimum of 12 hours of course work.

## Maxwell named to Rose-Hulman list

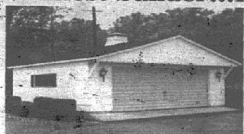
David Maxwell of Granite City has been named to the dean's

dent for student affairs.

Rose-Hulman has an enrollment of 1,300 students. One of five students ranked in the top three positions of his graduating high school class and the median Rose-Hulman student ranked in the 95th percentile of his high school class.

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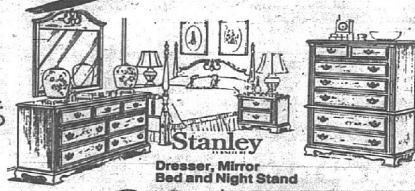
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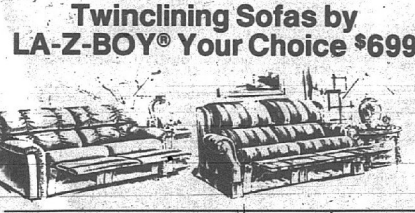


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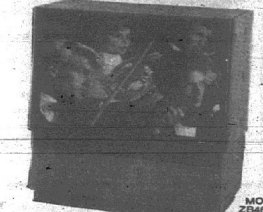
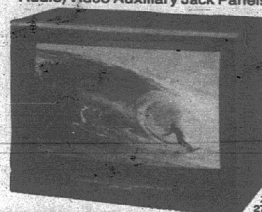
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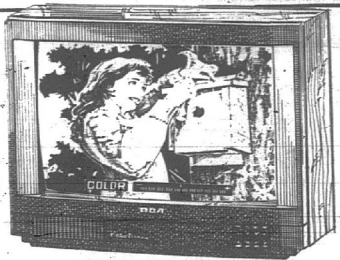
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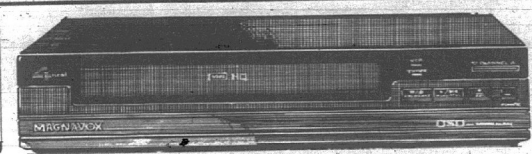
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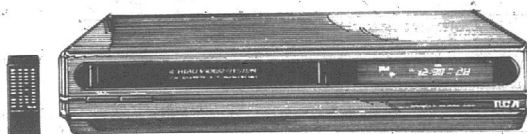
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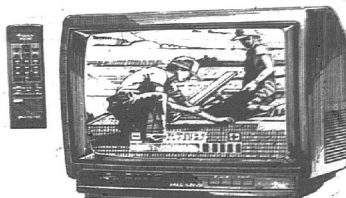
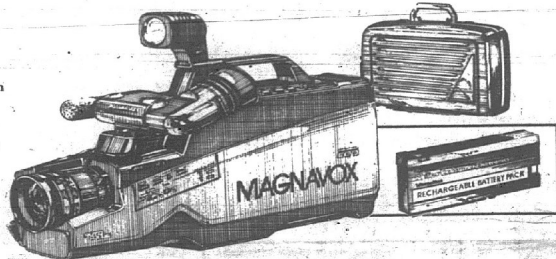
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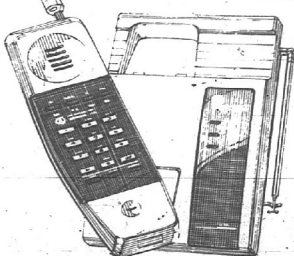
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**ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE GRANITE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1990**  
GENERAL AND PROJECT FUND FINANCE  
REVENUE SUMMARY—Property Taxes \$205,318; Interest \$21,807; Fines and Fees \$8,040; Photocopy \$2,735; Materials and Gifts \$1,208; Project \$1,100; Miscellaneous \$14,104; Total \$255,213.  
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# Medicare changes rules

**By Bill Hunt**  
Social Security Administration  
Q. I will be 65 in September and will qualify for Medicare. I'd like to know how claims are paid by Medicare. Do I have to submit claims myself or will the doctor's office do it?  
A. You are turning age 65 just as Medicare is changing how it operates. This change will make life much easier for people on Medicare. Medicare claims for services provided beginning Sept. 1, 1990 must be submitted to Medicare by the doctor or other health care provider.  
Prior to the change some doc-

tors sent claims to Medicare for their patients, but now it will be a requirement. Patients will be able to submit the claims themselves if they want. This new law applies to anyone who provides Medicare covered medical services. It does not require providers to accept assignment of claims—only to handle the paperwork for their Medicare patients.  
Medicare will pay 80 percent of approved charges for doctor's bills after you meet a \$75 per year deductible.  
Q. I was a government employee most of my working career and didn't pay Social

Security. I had some self-employment after my retirement and finally became eligible for Social Security when I was 72. I've been told now that I am not eligible for the additional benefit given to retirees who work between ages 65 and 70. Why?  
A. Those delayed retirement credits are given for months between age 65 and 70 if you are eligible for a check but don't get one because you haven't retired yet. You don't qualify for them because you didn't have enough work to be eligible for a check until after age 70.

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